



British Win New Surprise Victory Today

FRENCH TAKE ELEVEN HUNDRED HUNS YESTERDAY

ADD SIX MILES MORE TERRITORY TO GAINS

One Thousand Huns Gathered In By British in Mornings Bag.

[UNITED PRESS CABLEGRAM.] PARIS, Aug. 27, 3:00 p. m.—Magnificent work was done by the French yesterday. The armies of Gen. Mangin captured 1100 Huns. The French advanced a mile east of Bagneux yesterday and repulsed a desperate counter attack east of Chavigny.

French troops advanced towards Roye this morning repulsing more counter attacks in that region. The Germans are fighting with desperation.

[UNITED PRESS CABLEGRAM.] PARIS, Aug. 27, 1:00 p. m.—Gen. Mangin has won possession of high ground south of Crecy-au-Mont from where the German position north and east of Soissons are being heavily shelled. These positions are now subjected to a double fire as they are also being shelled from the French lines along the Aisne east of Soissons.

Along the whole front the French continue to secure jumping off places for future operations.

CANADIAN TROOPS VICTORS.

[UNITED PRESS CABLEGRAM.] LONDON, Aug. 27.—Canadian troops after capturing Warcourt carried their line east of Guenappe. Field Marshal Haig announced today.

A counter attack forced the British back from Longueval. The counter attack was broken up and the British position re-established east of Highwood.

GARY MAN IS BADLY BATTERED UP BY TWO

Charles Morado Worst Sight Ever Seen Around the Hammond Station.

Two Gary men, Levink Velevarich of St. Burgess Hotel and Fred Roman of 12 Adams street, Gary, were arrested yesterday by Officers F. Hesterman and Bell, charged with assault and battery.

Says Good-bye to Hammond



LIEUT. WM. WELCH.

It is now Lieut. Welch instead of Sergeant. If you please, Ha's now on his way to France in this true-blue patriot. Last night he and his wife were honored guests at an impromptu farewell dinner at the Five Point Cafe of Carl Lundgren, Hammond. Lieut. Welch left immediately after the dinner for an Atlantic port to embark for overseas duty on the line. Lieut. Welch was the recipient of a wrist watch, as Hammond's gift to a true soldier and Mrs. Welch was presented with a handsome traveling bag. Every guest present responded and enlivened the occasion with wit, humor and pathos. Those present at the dinner were Messrs. and Mesdames William Welch, J. D. Smalley, J. T. Hutton, J. K. Stinson, W. J. Whitney, E. G. Sprout, J. H. Conroy, W. J. McAlister, Ed Simon, Harry Minus and Mrs. R. B. McAlister, Mrs. J. Leary, Miss "Major" Pike, Miss Sprague, James Armstrong and David E. Boone.

PUBLICITY DIRECTOR CHOSEN

County Liberty Loan Leaders Meet Tomorrow in So. Bend for District Organization; Delegations From Calumet Begin to Attend.

PUBLICITY CHAIRMAN IS APPOINTED

Will H. Wade, Indianapolis, director of sales for Indiana in the 4th Liberty Loan, today notified P. A. Farry of Hammond that upon the recommendation of County Chairman H. G. Ray he had been appointed chairman of publicity for Lake county for the Fourth Liberty Loan. Mr. Farry accepted.

Liberty Bond leaders of Lake county from the big cities are to get their first dose of pep and ginger tomorrow at the Oliver Hotel in South Bend when Will H. Wade, director of sales for Indiana in the fourth Liberty loan campaign, and other members of the state headquarters staff of the loan drive, will meet to make the preliminary organization plans for Lake and other counties will be laid.

Hoosiers Wife Awake.

The plan for the fourth campaign in Indiana is to be built in many counties on the belief that Hoosiers are alive to their responsibilities to the Liberty loan and that they will voluntarily subscribe to the fullest extent of their abilities when the campaign is opened. Therefore many county chairmen are beginning the organization for the sale of the bonds and about September 14 it is expected the organizations of the majority of counties will begin work to impress on every man, woman and child in these counties that Indiana expects to go "over the top" Saturday, September 23, the official date for the start of the loan campaign.

Publicity Starts Sept. 14. Publicity and speaking features for the Indiana campaign will begin September 14, state headquarters for the loan have announced, and arrangements are being made by Marcus S. Sonntag, of Evansville, chairman for the southern counties of the state, which lie in the Eighth federal reserve district, to correlate the publicity division of the southern counties with that of the

JUST A MOMENT

COURT Reporter Harry Folk is another of the regular guys who just can't get two ticks of work done unless he sees how the war's going.

C. E. Payne, one of Kaufman & Wolf's right hand bowlers, is never happier than when he's breaking in about 400 extra girls for a big sale.

"ANYBODY who thinks that a banker doesn't have to get up early and stay late nowadays had better try to keep tabs on a few of them I know," said M. M. Towle, Jr.

JESSE WILSON, president of the Chamber of Commerce, went to visit his son who is in the Boy Scout Camp at Cedar Lake and praises the idea of the outing very much.

THIRTY-EIGHT fish in Wolf Lake is Eddie Goehring's record in two hours and all it cost him was a few worms. Yet some people go to Wisconsin and don't catch that many in two weeks.

WILLIAM EARLE, one of Hobart Township's big men, was in the city yesterday on business. He is a member of Orak Shrine and rounded up a number of friends.

JOHN E. SAWYER, now in the Winston law offices in Chicago, has been here on a visit and shooting a little golf at the Country Club.

MGR. R. HAMILTON of the U. S. cigar stores has lost his right hand man Henry McHenry. Latter has gone to take charge of the U. S. Cigar Stores at Gary.

CITY JUDGE THEO. KLOTZ is putting the city hall on the map with a hot-dog suit of "summers" these days, thereby exciting the envy of the other officials.

B. S. WALTERS, who leaves for South Bend next month, his old stamping ground, says he will realize his ambition—to go into business for himself there.

GEORGE R. STREETER, the veteran publisher, is working hard to get ready for the press his latest effort—Hammond's great honor roll for the war.

D. E. BOONE, co-worker of Lieut. Welch, who has left Hammond for France, regrets to have Welch leave the city. "He was a great patriot," said Boone.

"GUESS it won't make the Turks sick of this war nor nothing," said Alderman Frank Martin when he read about bombing Constantinople.

CHARLES MOORE, one of the Hammond Chapter's high officials, has received word that his brother has been made assistant adjutant in a training camp "over there."

HAMMOND'S latest Chinese restaurant on State street has "caught on" in good shape and its handsome equipment brings many people to dine there.

"AIN'T we giving them hell now?" said C. G. Bonham, the big insurance agent. "I hope they don't surrender before we get to the Rhine."

"OH, I just got to get in it," says Carl Smiley. "I figure that though I am over the draft age I ought to be over there licking those Huns."

R. H. MOHIE, chairman of the Liberty Hall hearing committee, and whose job is a steam-winder, sees his way clear now to get all the apparatus needed.

ANOTHER well-posted man in war reading is W. H. Spellman who says that "We must not let them (the Germans) rest for a minute. If we keep hammering away there's nothing to it."

TOM JORDAN, veteran in politics, but no longer, is now a loop worker again. "Have sold my house and never realized how hard it is to get an apartment in Hammond till now."

SERGEANT WM. WELCH leaves Hammond with a full heart and a pride in the city for the war work it has done. "I shall always remember Hammond fondly," says the Sergeant.

OFFICER WARNER'S definition of a drunk in the city court the other day caused the judge to sit up and take notice. It was "smoozed," which is the acme of accurate expression.

AUGUST SCHNEIDER of the Standard Steel Car Co. may be sent to France shortly to superintend the construction of a huge ordnance plant for the French.

F. C. DEMING, a director of the First National Bank, who has been ill for several months, is slowly recovering and is now able to be out of doors a part of the time.

HENRY BURK, the South Hohman street grocer, is another one of those early birds who reads the war news at six o'clock when other people are dreading the alarm clock.

CITY CLERK BILLY ROSE, in addition to his other numerous duties, has taken on another bunch of trouble in boosting registration. "It's got to be done," said Billy.

LAKE County's surveyor, Ray Seeley, Capt. Ray Seeley is at Camp Humphreys in training and maybe you think Capt. Seeley won't go after those Huns hard when he goes over.

STREAM OF U. S. TROOPS STILL POURING INTO FRANCE



American troops arriving in France. The line of American troops arriving in France is almost an endless one. Every registration means thousands of more men made available to keep this stream flowing.

AUTO PLEASURES ARE STOPPED

NEW DRIVE PROPOSED FOR W. S. S.

One hundred War Savings Stamp workers from every city and town in Lake county gathered at the Hammond Country Club last night to discuss the progress of the sale of stamps in Lake county and to hear a thrilling recount of expenses in the trenches by Capt. Statten went to the front and served until he was wounded and three of his boys killed, one of them before his very eyes. He told tales of German atrocities that would harrow the heart and said that none of the stories have been exaggerated.

Harry Hall of Gary presided at the dinner and the matter of the failure of Lake county to pledge its quota was discussed. It was proposed to start a new drive for Sept. 16 and to have a week of clearing up and this proposition is still open. Some of the sale leaders feel, however, that this plan should not be carried out and it is a cinch that the 4th Liberty Loan leaders will not countenance any such step on the part of the W. S. S. leaders. It certainly will inflict on the 4th Loan and jam it up. It was felt last night that less time should be given to entertainment at the meetings and more time to discussion and action on the sale of the stamps by the workers and leaders.

Buy a Thrift Stamp today.

GOT BIG PAY FOR HUN PROPAGANDA



George Sylvester Viereck.

George Sylvester Viereck, an American citizen of German blood, is said to have admitted to federal authorities that previous to the entrance of the United States into the war he received large sums of money from the German government to spread Hun propaganda in this country. He was the editor of a paper which before the war he called the Fatherland. After America entered the war he changed the name of his sheet to Viereck's American Weekly. He admits that he is kin of the Kaiser.

U. S. ORDER APPEALS TO PATRIOTISM

[BY UNITED PRESS.] WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The U. S. Fuel Administration today banned the use of pleasure autos, motorcycles and motor boats east of Mississippi river to permit replenishing the stores of gasoline. The country has diminished the gasoline stores. The order will remain in effect until the stores are built up.

Fuel officials say that the shortage is not serious but that demands for overseas shipment and use are now at their highest point and some pre-cautionary measures must be taken at once to prevent shortage.

Tractors and motor trucks engaged for transportation are not included, also doctors' autos. The administration refrained from making it mandatory but rather appealed to the patriotism of the people.

Ambulance, fire, patrol and police machines used for repair work by public utilities are exempted. The order goes into effect next Sunday.

THIS DEVIL AT LARGE ONCE MORE

EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 27.—The Villa bandits caused the death of 100 persons and the wounding of 65 more when they wrecked a National Railway train on the brink of a canyon near Tepic, according to official reports today from Chihuahua City. The bandits clubbed to death the Carranzista soldiers guarding the train.

PEASANTS FIGHT HUNS

[UNITED PRESS CABLEGRAM.] STOCKHOLM, Aug. 27.—An army of 40,000 peasants are fighting against a combined force of Germans and Ukrainians near Skvira, according to newspaper dispatches received here today. The railroad strike continues.

In the Ukraine Russian diplomats returning from Kiev report that as soon as German soldiers leave any district the workmen desert their factories and organize resistance.

LOST.

Discharge papers from the Canadian Army. Return to Mr. Goyette, Dallas Hotel, East Chicago, reward.

GREAT IS WORK BY GALLANT POILUS

Hnn Lines Cross Fired in Soissons Sector, French Score Towards Roye.

[BULLETIN.] [UNITED PRESS CABLEGRAM.] PARIS, Aug. 27, 2:00 p. m.—The Paris Matin today published the statement that not a single German remained in Eapaume.

[UNITED PRESS CABLEGRAM.] FRANCE Aug. 27.—One more surprise today lengthened the list the British are visiting upon the Germans on the Somme.

At 3:00 a. m. today another six square miles were added to the battlefield taken by the British. The Germans were not expecting the attack. The surprise came when the moon broke through showing Canadian and Highlanders surging to the attack. Passing through Arras I saw about 1,000 prisoners headed by a dozen officers. Their general physique was poor in comparison to those taken in the north.

RACE FOR ROYE.

[UNITED PRESS CABLEGRAM.] PARIS, Aug. 27, 6:00 p. m.—The last German position before Roye was broken by the French this morning and they are now within less than a mile from the town which is also threatened by the British. It is a race to see who gets it.

Resumption of the activity is reported in the Noyon. The French are also attacking along the Ailette and pursuing southward to Couchy le Chateau.

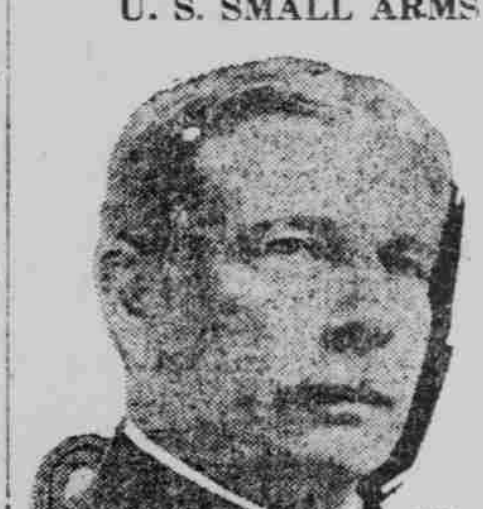
AMERICANS ACTIVE IN THE WOEVRE SECTOR

[UNITED PRESS CABLEGRAM.] BY FRANCH J. T. TAYLOR. WIT HTHE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Aug. 27 (Night)—American patrols have the best of some encounters in the Toul and Woivre region.

In the Toul sector an American patrol killed and wounded four boches. During a patrol encounter in the Woivre an American was wounded 16 times by machine gun bullets. This is considered a record for wounds.

American airmen at Conslans Sunday bombed a railway truck knowing it bore ammunition and damaged a round house 40 bombs were dropped. All our machines returned safely.

DIRECTS MAKING OF U. S. SMALL ARMS



Col. John T. Thompson.

Col. John T. Thompson is directing the manufacture of small arms, rifles, revolvers, etc., for Uncle Sam. He produced the new army rifle. He has increased the production and standardization of the weapons. He, his father and son are graduates of West Point.

EXTRA

PROFITEERS KEEP UP THE PRACTICES

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—German artillery shelled a Red Cross bath house and other buildings in the rear of the Belgian lines, killing 23 persons, many of whom were women and injuring sixty.

Frank O'Rourke, city food administrator of Hammond, does not propose to be jumped on for the outrageous prices charged by some Hammond profiteers, for he has done, he says, all in his power to stop it.

Mr. O'Rourke declares that the prices in some cases are unfair and higher than the prices charged in Chicago and in fact all around us. His investigators have checked up prices for the same commodities in Hammond, groceries and find a wide variance in prices. He has checked up on the dealers and knows what he is talking about.

Several weeks ago a federal investigator came quietly to Hammond and found that the prices were wrong. His orders were to County Administrator C. A. Westberg that the dealers should be notified that Chicago prices should be charged here and it was decided to send a scale of prices to the dealers showing them what they could charge for certain commodities. "As far as I know," said Mr. O'Rourke, "this has not been done yet, though I know Mr. Westberg is an extremely busy man."

HAVE YOU LODGING FOR SCHOOL MAAMS?

Scarcity of Board Calls Out a Macedonian Cry From School Authorities.

While there has been a general response for rooms for teachers, there is a scarcity of places to board. Between now and next Monday there will be between 160 and 170 teachers in Hammond. More than 150 of this number must find places to room and board. It will be impossible for teachers to room in some parts of the city unless they can find some place to set their meals. Anyone who is willing to board teachers should phone 415.

USE 70 DIVISIONS.

[UNITED PRESS CABLEGRAM.] LONDON, Aug. 27.—Since August 8th Germans have used 70 divisions on the west front between the Scarpe and the Aisne.

Democratic Meeting Tonight

At the Jefferson Club Rooms at 8:00 p. m. interesting topics will be up for discussion. All interested Democrats are urged to attend.

DEMOCRATIC CITY CENTRAL COMMITTEE. Buy a Thrift Stamp and lick the Hun.